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THIRTY-SECOND CONGRESS.

Term commences March 4, 1851, and terminates March 4, 1853.

The First Session opens on Monday, December 1, 1851.

SENATE.

The Senate consists of two Senators from each State. Since the admission of California, there are thirty-one States, represented by sixty-two Senators. The Senators who held over from the 31st Congress were forty-one, viz: eighteen Whigs and twenty-three Democrats. Of the twenty-one new Senators, three are yet to be elected from the following States:

California—Legislature Democratic.

Connecticut—Legislature to be chosen in April, 1852.

Tennessee—Legislature Whig.

SENATORS HOLDING OVER AND ELECT.

Whigs in italics; Democrats in roman; those marked F. S. are Free-soilers or Abolitionists; U. those elected as Union men; S. R., those elected as Southern or State Rights men.

State	Term	Senator	Term	Senator
Alabama	1853	Jefferson Davis	1853	Jefferson Davis
Arkansas	1853	Jefferson Davis	1853	Jefferson Davis
California	1853	Jefferson Davis	1853	Jefferson Davis
Connecticut	1853	Jefferson Davis	1853	Jefferson Davis
Delaware	1853	Jefferson Davis	1853	Jefferson Davis
Florida	1853	Jefferson Davis	1853	Jefferson Davis
Georgia	1853	Jefferson Davis	1853	Jefferson Davis
Illinois	1853	Jefferson Davis	1853	Jefferson Davis
Indiana	1853	Jefferson Davis	1853	Jefferson Davis
Iowa	1853	Jefferson Davis	1853	Jefferson Davis
Kentucky	1853	Jefferson Davis	1853	Jefferson Davis
Louisiana	1853	Jefferson Davis	1853	Jefferson Davis
Maine	1853	Jefferson Davis	1853	Jefferson Davis
Maryland	1853	Jefferson Davis	1853	Jefferson Davis
Massachusetts	1853	Jefferson Davis	1853	Jefferson Davis
Michigan	1853	Jefferson Davis	1853	Jefferson Davis
Minnesota	1853	Jefferson Davis	1853	Jefferson Davis
Mississippi	1853	Jefferson Davis	1853	Jefferson Davis
Missouri	1853	Jefferson Davis	1853	Jefferson Davis
Montana	1853	Jefferson Davis	1853	Jefferson Davis
Nebraska	1853	Jefferson Davis	1853	Jefferson Davis
Nevada	1853	Jefferson Davis	1853	Jefferson Davis
New Hampshire	1853	Jefferson Davis	1853	Jefferson Davis
New Jersey	1853	Jefferson Davis	1853	Jefferson Davis
New Mexico	1853	Jefferson Davis	1853	Jefferson Davis
New York	1853	Jefferson Davis	1853	Jefferson Davis
North Carolina	1853	Jefferson Davis	1853	Jefferson Davis
Ohio	1853	Jefferson Davis	1853	Jefferson Davis
Oregon	1853	Jefferson Davis	1853	Jefferson Davis
Pennsylvania	1853	Jefferson Davis	1853	Jefferson Davis
Rhode Island	1853	Jefferson Davis	1853	Jefferson Davis
South Carolina	1853	Jefferson Davis	1853	Jefferson Davis
Tennessee	1853	Jefferson Davis	1853	Jefferson Davis
Texas	1853	Jefferson Davis	1853	Jefferson Davis
Vermont	1853	Jefferson Davis	1853	Jefferson Davis
Virginia	1853	Jefferson Davis	1853	Jefferson Davis
Washington	1853	Jefferson Davis	1853	Jefferson Davis
West Virginia	1853	Jefferson Davis	1853	Jefferson Davis
Wisconsin	1853	Jefferson Davis	1853	Jefferson Davis
Wyoming	1853	Jefferson Davis	1853	Jefferson Davis

Messrs. Foote and Davis, of Mississippi, have resigned.

Of the members elected, and those holding over, thirty-four are Democrats, twenty-one are Whigs, and four Free-soilers. Of the Free-soilers, Hale and Seward were elected by a union of Whigs and Free-soilers; Sumner and Chase were elected by Democrats and Free-soilers combined. Dodge, (Democrat,) of Wisconsin; Fish, (Whig,) of New York; Foote, (Whig,) of Vermont; and Wade, (Whig,) of Ohio, are also put down by some as Free-soilers.

HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES.

The House consists of two hundred and thirty-three members and four Territorial delegates. These delegates, however, have no vote. Annexed are the names of the

MEMBERS ELECT.

State	Member	State	Member
Alabama	John Bragg	Georgia	George S. Houston
Arkansas	Samuel A. McKelvey	Illinois	Samuel A. McKelvey
California	Samuel A. McKelvey	Indiana	Samuel A. McKelvey
Connecticut	Samuel A. McKelvey	Iowa	Samuel A. McKelvey
Delaware	Samuel A. McKelvey	Kentucky	Samuel A. McKelvey
Florida	Samuel A. McKelvey	Louisiana	Samuel A. McKelvey
Georgia	Samuel A. McKelvey	Maine	Samuel A. McKelvey
Illinois	Samuel A. McKelvey	Maryland	Samuel A. McKelvey
Indiana	Samuel A. McKelvey	Massachusetts	Samuel A. McKelvey
Iowa	Samuel A. McKelvey	Michigan	Samuel A. McKelvey
Kentucky	Samuel A. McKelvey	Minnesota	Samuel A. McKelvey
Louisiana	Samuel A. McKelvey	Mississippi	Samuel A. McKelvey
Maine	Samuel A. McKelvey	Missouri	Samuel A. McKelvey
Maryland	Samuel A. McKelvey	Montana	Samuel A. McKelvey
Massachusetts	Samuel A. McKelvey	Nebraska	Samuel A. McKelvey
Michigan	Samuel A. McKelvey	Nevada	Samuel A. McKelvey
Minnesota	Samuel A. McKelvey	New Hampshire	Samuel A. McKelvey
Mississippi	Samuel A. McKelvey	New Jersey	Samuel A. McKelvey
Missouri	Samuel A. McKelvey	New Mexico	Samuel A. McKelvey
Montana	Samuel A. McKelvey	New York	Samuel A. McKelvey
Nebraska	Samuel A. McKelvey	North Carolina	Samuel A. McKelvey
Nevada	Samuel A. McKelvey	Ohio	Samuel A. McKelvey
New Hampshire	Samuel A. McKelvey	Oregon	Samuel A. McKelvey
New Jersey	Samuel A. McKelvey	Pennsylvania	Samuel A. McKelvey
New Mexico	Samuel A. McKelvey	Rhode Island	Samuel A. McKelvey
New York	Samuel A. McKelvey	South Carolina	Samuel A. McKelvey
North Carolina	Samuel A. McKelvey	Tennessee	Samuel A. McKelvey
Ohio	Samuel A. McKelvey	Texas	Samuel A. McKelvey
Oregon	Samuel A. McKelvey	Vermont	Samuel A. McKelvey
Pennsylvania	Samuel A. McKelvey	Virginia	Samuel A. McKelvey
Rhode Island	Samuel A. McKelvey	Washington	Samuel A. McKelvey
South Carolina	Samuel A. McKelvey	West Virginia	Samuel A. McKelvey
Tennessee	Samuel A. McKelvey	Wisconsin	Samuel A. McKelvey
Texas	Samuel A. McKelvey	Wyoming	Samuel A. McKelvey
Vermont	Samuel A. McKelvey		
Virginia	Samuel A. McKelvey		
Washington	Samuel A. McKelvey		
West Virginia	Samuel A. McKelvey		
Wisconsin	Samuel A. McKelvey		
Wyoming	Samuel A. McKelvey		

1. Louis St. Martin, (S. R.) 2. Alex. G. Penn, (S. R.)

3. J. A. Lundy, (S. R.) 4. James M. Moore, (S. R.)

5. James McDonald, (S. R.) 6. James M. Moore, (S. R.)

7. John Appleton, (S. R.) 8. James M. Moore, (S. R.)

9. Robert Goodnow, (S. R.) 10. James M. Moore, (S. R.)

11. Charles Andrews, (S. R.) 12. James M. Moore, (S. R.)

13. William Appleton, (S. R.) 14. James M. Moore, (S. R.)

15. Robert Rantoul, (S. R.) 16. James M. Moore, (S. R.)

17. James H. Duncan, (S. R.) 18. James M. Moore, (S. R.)

19. R. Thompson, (S. R.) 20. James M. Moore, (S. R.)

21. Charles Allen, (S. R.) 22. James M. Moore, (S. R.)

23. Richard J. Davis, (S. R.) 24. James M. Moore, (S. R.)

25. Wm. T. Hamilton, (S. R.) 26. James M. Moore, (S. R.)

27. Edward Hammond, (S. R.) 28. James M. Moore, (S. R.)

29. Ebenezer J. Pennington, (S. R.) 30. James M. Moore, (S. R.)

31. C. F. Stuart, (S. R.) 32. James M. Moore, (S. R.)

33. D. B. Nelson, (U.) 34. Wm. McWills, (S. R.)

35. J. A. Wilson, (U.) 36. A. R. Dawson, (U.)

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THE undersigned propose to publish, in the City of Washington, a weekly newspaper, bearing the above title, and dedicated to a sound morality in Politics, to the Union of the States, to the cause of African Colonization and Civilization, and to all topics of a high and general interest to their country and mankind. They will endeavor to impress upon the People and Government of the United States the importance of the importance of colonizing in Africa, with their own consent, the free people of color of this country, and such as may become free. They will communicate to the public all important information they may obtain in regard to the Geography, Exploration, Resources, Commerce and Population of Africa; the state of the Slave Trade, and the measures best adapted for its suppression, and will enforce the duty of union among all Christian denominations in efforts to diffuse the knowledge of our Arts, Liberty, and Christianity, among the barbarous people of that Continent.

They will aim to render the Journal an instructive and useful Family Newspaper, and to secure for its columns, as the public favor shall enable them, contributions, literary and scientific, of every description.

THIS CHRISTIAN STATESMAN will be of the size of the Home Journal or National Era, and exceed in size the Intelligence or the Union of this city, and, with handsome advertisements, will be nearly filled with matter designed to be of interest to its readers.

It will be printed with new type, on fine white paper, and, in mechanical execution, be equal to the best newspapers in the country.

TERMS.—The Christian Statesman will be two dollars a year, payable in advance.

Postmasters or others, who may be pleased to act as voluntary agents, will be responsible to those who may pay over to them subscriptions; and to the order of such agents, or to the order of the Editor, the paper will be sent.

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At a meeting of the Executive Committee of the American Colonization Society, held on the 10th inst., the Secretary laid before the Committee the Prospectus of a newspaper, to be called the Christian Statesman, and to be devoted "to sound morality in Politics, to the Union of the States, to the cause of African Colonization and Civilization, and to all topics of a high and general interest to their country and mankind." It was resolved, that the Rev. R. R. Gurley and D. R. Goodloe, after the reading of which, it was

Resolved, That we cordially and earnestly recommend the Christian Statesman to the patronage of the friends of African Colonization throughout the United States.

W. McALIN, Sec. Am. Col. Soc.

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The American publishers therefore deem it proper to call renewed attention to the works they publish, and the very price at which they are offered to subscribers. The following is their list, viz:

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In these periodicals are contained the views, moderately though clearly and firmly expressed, of the three greatest parties in England—Tory, Whig, and Radical. "Blackwood" and the "London Quarterly" are Tory, the "Edinburgh Review" Whig, and the "Westminster Review" Liberal. The "North British Review" owes its establishment to the late great ecclesiastical movement in Scotland, and is not ultra in its views on any one of the grand departments of human knowledge. It was originally edited by Dr. Chalmers, and now, since his death, is conducted by his son-in-law, Dr. Hanna, associated with Sir David Brewster. Its literary character is of the very highest order. The "Westminster Review" is a review of the title only, is published in England under the title of "Foreign Quarterly and Westminster." It being in fact a union of the two Reviews formerly published and reprinted under separate titles. It has, therefore, the advantage of this combination, of uniting in one work the best features of both, as heretofore issued.

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CITY COUNCILS.

CORPORATION OF WASHINGTON.

BOARD OF ALDERMEN.

Monday, December 1, 1851.

Present, Messrs. Dove, Magruder, Bayly, Wilson, Towers, Borrow, Sweeney, Maury, French, (President,) Wirt, Thornley, Gordon, Morgan, and Page.

Mr. WILSON, on leave, introduced an act for the improvement of 13th street west; which was read three times and passed.

On motion of Mr. WILSON, it was resolved that Robert Crupper have leave to withdraw his petition and accompanying papers from the files of this Board of 12th May, 1851.

Mr. BAYLY, on leave, introduced an act for laying flag stones across 1 street north and 13th street west; which was read three times and passed.

The bill from the Board of Common Council for making a gravel footwalk along the east side of 8th street west, between G and H streets south, was taken up, read three times, and passed.

The bill from the Board of Common Council for the protection of religious worship was taken up, read twice, and referred to the Committee on Police.

The resolution from the Board of Common Council in regard to a seawall on the Potomac and Eastern Branch, was taken up, read twice, and amended, and was then, on motion, referred to the Committee on Improvements.

The resolution from the Board of Common Council in relation to the drainage and sewerage of the city was taken up, read three times, and passed.

The resolution from the Board of Common Council appointing a joint committee to represent the Corporation at a Railroad Convention proposed to be held at Romney, in Virginia, was taken up, read twice, and ordered to lie on the table.

The resolution from the Board of Common Council requesting an application to the President of the United States was taken up, read twice, and referred to Messrs. Maury, Wirt, and Thornley.

Mr. MORGAN presented a petition from John M. Young and others, for closing part of the alley on reservation G; which was referred to the Committee on Improvements.

The bill from the Board of Common Council for restraining the speed of steamboats was taken up, read twice, and referred to the Committee on Police.

Mr. GORDON presented a petition from Henry Wheeler; which was referred to the Committee on Claims.

Mr. MAURY, on leave, introduced an act authorizing the laying of a flag footway across Louisiana avenue, on the east side of 10th street west, and one across B street north, on the west side of said street, and for other purposes; which was read three times and passed.

Mr. MAURY, on leave, introduced an act authorizing the setting of the curb and paving the footway on the east and west sides of 24 street north, between Indiana avenue and D street north; which was read three times and passed.

The bill from the Board of Common Council authorizing the Mayor to cause the western termination of K street north to be paved with stone was taken up, read twice, and referred to the Committee on Improvements.

The bill from the Board of Common Council for the relief of M. Holloran was taken up, read twice, and referred to the Committee on Improvements.

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